



**State of Tennessee**  
**Department of Children's Services**  
**Cordell Hull State Office Building, 7th Floor**  
**436 Sixth Avenue North**  
**Nashville, Tennessee 37243-3000**  
**Viola P. Miller, Commissioner**

**NOTICE OF REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS (RFP)**

May 2, 2008

**Service Providers:**

This is to inform you that the State of Tennessee has issued a Request for Proposals (RFP) to which your business organization may be interested in responding with a proposal.

The following provides some information about the RFP.

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| Brief Statement of Scope  | The State intends to secure four (4) contracts for the provision of legal services to incarcerated students residing in the John S. Wilder (WYDC), Woodland Hills & New Visions (WH&NVYDC), Mountain View (MVYDC) and Taft (TYDC) Youth Development Centers operated by the Department of Children's Services (DCS). |
| RFS Number                | 359.10-180 (WYDC); 359.10-181 (WH&NVYDC); 359.10-182 (MVYDC); 359.10-188 (TYDC)  |
| Procuring State Agency    | Department of Children's Services (DCS)  |
| Anticipated Contract Term | July 1, 2008 through June 30, 2013   |
| Proposal Deadline         | Monday, June 2, 2008 @ 2:00 pm   |
| RFP Coordinator           | Lisa Love<br>State of Tennessee Department of Children's Services<br>Office of Contracts and Grants Administration<br>Cordell Hull Building, 7 <sup>th</sup> Floor<br>436 Sixth Avenue North<br>Nashville, TN, 37243-1290<br>Tel: 615-532-2255<br>Fax: 615-244-8969<br>E-Mail: Lisa.Love@state.tn.us                 |

The subject RFP is available in PDF format and may be downloaded from the internet. To locate this and other current state RFPs, visit Tennessee's website at <http://www.state.tn.us/finance/rds/ocr/rfp.html>. Please e-mail [Robert.Barlow@state.tn.us](mailto:Robert.Barlow@state.tn.us) immediately with an explanation of any difficulties you experience accessing this site. All other concerns should be addressed to the RFP Coordinator.

The subject RFP is also available by contacting the above-referenced RFP Coordinator.

We appreciate your interest in doing business with the state of Tennessee and hope that you will consider responding to this and future Requests for Proposals.